# STATEMENT OF WORK

Acquisition of 5985-00-198-4906, Doppler Dome

# 1. PROJECT/TITLE

Acquisition of Doppler VOR Radomes, NSN 5985-00-198-4906.

# 2. BACKGROUND

VOR, or VHF Omnidirectional Radio Range, is a ground-based navigation system that allows an aircraft to determine its bearing from the VOR station. Doppler VOR, or DVOR, is an improvement to the basic VOR system that is less susceptible to interference from terrain and obstructions. Each DVOR system has 51 antennas. Each antenna in a DVOR system is covered with a fiberglass radome to protect it from the elements.

# 3. SCOPE

The contractor shall deliver DVOR Radomes, NSN 5985-00-198-4906, meeting the requirements of the documents in Section 4, APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS. The FAA Logistics Center has estimated the annual quantity to be 255 radomes per year.

# 4. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

FAA Specification FAAD-F-1365B Doppler VOR Side Band 2 ½ FT. High Plastic Dome Antenna Shelter, Type 3, Dated 12/27/2004, 10 pages. FAA Drawing D-5701, Rev H, Dated 4/14/2008, 1 page.

#### 5. SPECIFIC TASKS

- 1. Supply first article within 45 days of Contract award.
- 2. Supply Production Articles in quantities and times per Section 6, DELIVERABLES AND DELIVERY SCHEDULE.

# 6. DELIVERABLES AND DELIVERY SCHEDULE

Description	Qty to be Delivered	Desired Delivery Time	Required Delivery Time
FIRST ARTICLE	1 radome	in 45 days	in 90 days
Initial Quantity	50 radomes	in 60 days	in 90 days
Additional quantities after the Initial Quantity at a rate of:	51 units	in 60 days	in 90 days

# 7. GOVERNMENT-FURNISHED EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

No government furnished equipment or supplies are included in this contract.

# 8. PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

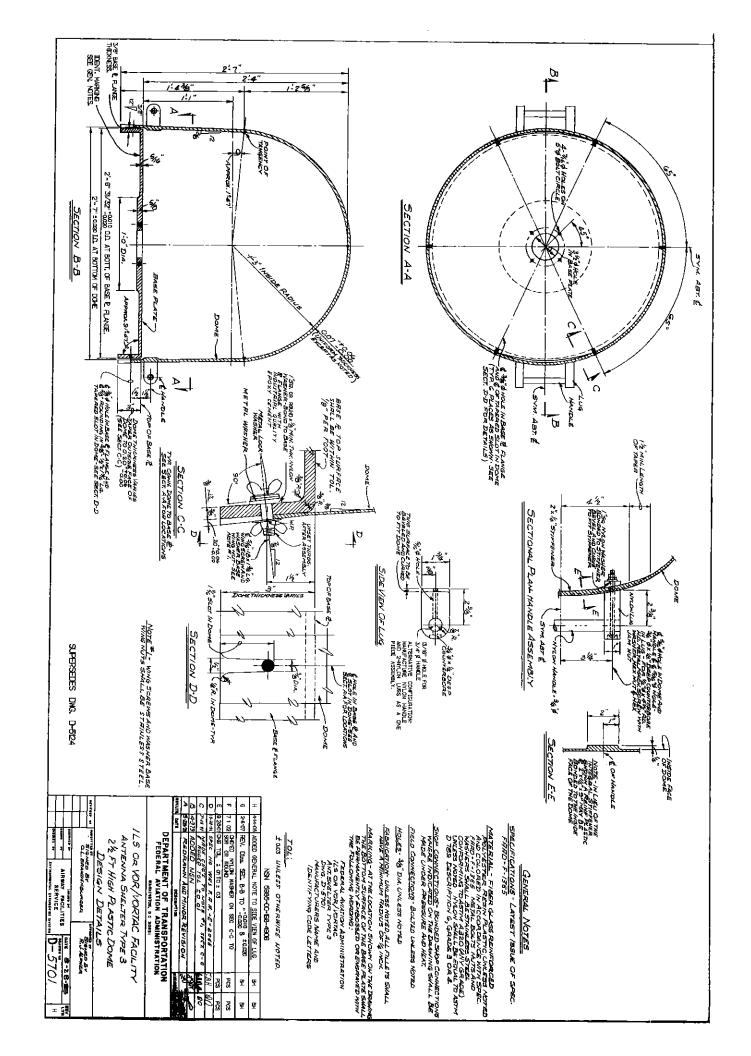
All work is to be performed at the vendor's facilities and the completed product shipped to the FAA Logistics Center.

# 9. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The effective period of this contract is 1 year from the date of award. The Government has the option to extend the contract up to 4 additional option years.

# 10. SECURITY

Not applicable.



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#### FABRICATION SPECIFICATION

Doppler VOR Side Band

2 1/2 Ft. High Plastic Dome Antenna Shelter, Type 3

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#### 1. SCOPE

1.1 Scope. This specification covers a reinforced plastic antenna shelter assembly, consisting of a dome and base plate.

# 2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

<u>2.1 Applicable specifications.</u>-The latest issue of the specifications and standards listed in subparagraphs below forms a part of this specification.

# 2.1.1 Federal specifications

L-P-383 Plastic Material, Polyester Resin, Glass Fiber, Base, Low Pressure Laminated

# 2.1.2 Federal standards

Federal Standard No. 595B Colors

# 2.1.3 Military specifications

MIL-C-9084C Cloth, Glass, Finished, for Resin Laminates MIL-R-7575C Resin, Polyester, Low Pressure Laminating MIL-M-43248C Mats, Reinforcing, Glass Fiber

# 2.1.4 American Society for Testing and Materials

ASTM D150	A-C Loss Characteristics and Dielectric Constant of Solid Electrical Insulating Materials
ASTM A320	Alloy-Steel Bolting Materials for Low- Temperature Service
ASTM D570	Water Absorption Of Plastics
ASTM D789	Specification for Nylon Injection Molding and Extrusion Materials

#### 2.1.5 FAA Standards

FAA-STD-013C Quality Control Program Requirements

<u>2.2 Drawings.</u> The latest issue of the following Federal Aviation Administration drawing forms a part of this specification:

D-5701 -ILS or VOR/VORTAC Facility Antenna Shelter Type 3 2 1/2 Ft. High Plastic dome Design Details August 28, 1963

2.2.1 Governing document.-Where this specification differs from the drawing, this specification shall govern.

(Copies of this specification and other applicable FAA specifications, standards and drawings may be obtained from the Contracting Officer in the Federal Aviation Administration Office issuing the invitation for bids or request for proposals. Requests should fully identify material desired, i.e., specification, standard, amendment, and drawing numbers and dates. Requests should cite the invitation for bids, request for proposals, or the contract involved or other use to be made of the requested material.)

(Single copies of applicable federal and military specifications, standards, and drawings may be obtained by ordering through the Naval Publications and Forms Center (NPFC), Philadelphia, which is the Department of Defense Single Stock Print (DOD-SSP) and distribution center for unclassified specifications and standards. Documents may be ordered by writing: Naval Publications and Forms Center, 5801 Tabor Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19120; or calling: Area Code: 215-697-3321, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (Philadelphia time.) Copies of ASTM specifications may be obtained from American Society for Testing and Materials, 1916 Race Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103.)

#### 3. REQUIREMENTS

#### 3.1 Materials

- 3.1.1 Reinforcing.-Reinforcing mat shall meet the requirements as set forth in Military Specification MIL-M-43248C. The contractor shall select the type appropriate to his operation. Reinforcing fabric shall meet the requirements for glass fabric types as set forth in Military Specification MIL-C-9084C.
- 3.1.2 Laminating resin. The resin used in laminate preparation shall meet the requirements for Grade A Class 1 resin as set forth in Military Specification MIL-R-7575C.
- 3.1.3 Gelcoat. The gelcoat shall consist of an acrylic (5% minimum) modified polyester resin compounded for spray application. The formulation used shall produce a tightly adhering, non-brittle, pit-free glossy coating on the antenna shelter. Determination of a specific formulation and application techniques to meet these requirements shall be the responsibility of the contractor. A dye stabilizer, American Cyanamid Company's "Cyasorb UV9 or UV5411 Light Absorber', or equal, shall be incorporated into the resin in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 3.1.4 Fillers. Additives and fillers shall comply with Federal Specification L-P-383.

3.1.5 Adhesive.-The adhesive used in fabrication of the unit shall be a structural epoxy type. Formulations containing metallic or carbon powders as bulking agents shall not be used.

# 3.2 Fabrication

- 3.2.1 Method. Fabrication method shall be at the discretion of the contractor, provided the finished laminate meets requirements as specified herein.
- 3.2.2 Laminate. The laminate shall have a minimum of 35% glass by weight. Reinforcing shall be either cloth or mat. The maximum permissible quantity of fillers used, based on weight percentage of resin, shall be 5% with cloth reinforcing, and 30% with mat reinforcing.
- 3.2.3 Surface finish.— Interior surface of the dome shall be equivalent to a bag molded surface. Exterior surface of the dome and both faces of the base plate shall have a glossy surface texture equivalent to that obtained by molding against a polished metal surface. The exterior surface of the dome shall have a gelcoat of approximately 15 mils in thickness that meets the requirements of paragraph 3.1.3.
- 3.2.4 Color. Exterior surface of the dome shall be Aviation Surface Gloss White (Color No. 17925, Federal Standard No. 595B) in color. Other surfaces shall be White. Color shall be achieved by thoroughly mixing pigment into the resin prior to lay up and into the gelcoat prior to application.
- 3.2.5 Laps. Lap width shall be not less than 1/2 inch nor greater than 1 1/2 inches and no two laps shall be superimposed upon each other.
- 3.2.6 Post cure. In event that plastic components of the antenna shelter are fabricated and cured at room temperatures, they shall receive a post cure at 150 degrees F. for a minimum of 1/2 hour.

- 3.3 Laminate properties.— Barcol hardness and water absorption test results shall meet the requirements of Table I, Military Specification MIL-R-7575C. Dielectric Constant and Loss Tangent test results shall meet the requirements of Table II, Federal Specification L-P-383 for a Type II laminate under immersion conditions. These properties shall be determined as specified herein in Paragraph 4.2. The laminate shall be free of gaps, cracks, holes, blisters, resin pockets, excess surface resin, burning, areas lacking resin, tackiness, delamination, porosity, wrinkling, roughness, and warpage. All such defects may be reworked, except tackiness and serious warpage. Tolerances shown on the drawings shall be maintained.
- 3.4 Drawings and Instructions.— A packing list, one print of drawing D-5701, one print of any fabrication drawings prepared by the fabricator, and instructions and a list of materials required for field repair of the domes shall be provided with each dome.

#### 4. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROVISIONS

- 4.1 Quality Control Provisions. The contractor shall provide and maintain a quality control program in accordance with FAA-STD-013C. All tests and inspections made by the contractor shall be subject to Government inspection. The term "Government Inspection" as used in this specification means that an FAA representative will witness the contractor's testing and inspection, and will carry out such visual and other inspection as deemed necessary to assure compliance with the contract requirements.
- 4.2 Test methods. Barcol hardness determinations shall be obtained by direct readings on a Barcol Impresser at three locations selected at random on each component of the plastic antenna shelter assembly. Hardness tests shall be performed on the opposite surface of the laminate from the surface containing the gelcoat. Dielectric constant and loss tangent determinations shall be determined at one megahertz frequency (1mhz) in accordance with ASTM D-150 on three laminate samples cut from the dome. Water absorption tests shall be performed in accordance with ASTM D-570. Sample specimens required for water absorption, dielectric constant and loss tangent tests shall be cut from

random areas of the antenna shelter assembly as directed by the Government Representative.

4.3. Test procedures. - The first unit of the contract will be submitted for inspection at the contractor's plant. This unit will serve as a model of excellence of all subsequent production units and to determine compliance of physical dimensions with contract drawings. A sufficient number of laminate samples are to be remove from a 15 inch square panel test specimen of uniform thickness (0.07" + 0.06", -0.00) to perform the tests specified herein Paragraph 3.3. It will be the responsibility of the contractor to demonstrate that this unit meets the requirements specified herein by either performing the required laminate tests at his plant in the presence of the Government representative, or by arranging to have the specified test performed in the presence of the Government representative at a local laboratory within a period of three calendar days following the date of first unit inspection. The Government reserves the right to waiver witnessed tests, but in such instance will require certified test data verifying product conformance to the requirements.

# 5. PREPARATION FOR DELIVERY

5.1 Packaging. - The parts for the handles and bolts, washers, nuts, and other miscellaneous parts, shall be placed in a cloth bag, and the bag shall be wired to the inside face of the base plate by the bolt holes in the middle of the base plate. The dome shall be bolted to the base plate, using the six machine bolts, and the washer and nut assemblies. The Antenna shelter shall be packaged in a wooden crate constructed of rigid slats with a maximum of 4 inches between slats. The crates shall be acceptable for rail or truck common carrier shipment. Each crate shall have a packing list, one print of drawing D-5701 and one print of any fabrication drawings prepared by the fabricator, together with instructions and list of materials required for field repair of the domes, enclosed in a waterproof envelope. The envelope shall be permanently attached to the crate in such a way that the contents can be examined without detaching the envelope from the crate. Each crate shall be prominently marked on one side as follows:

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
DOPPLER VOR S.B.
2 1/2 FT. HIGH PLASTIC DOME
ANTENNA SHELTER TYPE 3
DRAWING D-5701
MANUFACTURER'S NAME AND ADDRESS

#### 6. NOTES

- 6.1 Note on information items. The subparagraphs below are only for the information of the Contracting Officer, intended to assist him in formulating a contract. They are not contract requirements, nor binding on either the Government or the contractor, except to the extent that they may be specified elsewhere in the contract as such. Any reliance placed by the contractor on the information on these subparagraphs is wholly at the contractor's own risk.
- 6.1.1 Prototype. The contract Schedule should contain requirements that the first unit of the contract quota will be designated a prototype and is to be submitted for inspection at the contractor's plant; also that such a unit produced by other than production techniques and equipment used in subsequent production will not be considered a prototype. The stipulation should also include the following requirement: that at points directed by the Government Representative, a sufficient number of laminate samples are to be removed from the prototype to perform the tests specified herein Paragraph 3.3.
- <u>6.1.2 Quantity production</u>. The Contract Schedule should contain a stipulation that production beyond the prototype unit/s is not to begin, except at the contractor's risk, until the Contracting Officer has approved the prototype.

<u>6.1.3 Quality control</u>.- The Contract Schedule should contain a stipulation the fabricator is to keep production units in conformance with the quality of the prototype, and that any change in either material types or material suppliers during the course of the production phase of the contract is to require the preparation and approval of a new prototype, unless otherwise directed by the Contracting Officer.

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# PACKING LIST ANTENNA SHELTER TYPE 3

- 1. 1 ea Drawing D-5701
- 1 ea Repair Instruction and Material List 2.
- 1 ea Base Plate, Plastic, Polyester Resin
- 1 ea Dome Housing, 2 1/2 ft. high plastic, Polyester Resin 4.
- 6 ea 1 inch square X 1/4 inch thick Nylon Washers 6 ea 5/16 18 x 1 3/4 inch Wing Screws
- 6.
- 6 ea 5/16 inch Washer Base Wing Nuts 7.
- 8. 6 ea - 5/16 inch Flat Washers
- 9. 6 ea ~ 5/16 inch Lock Washers
- 10. 4 ea Nylon Lugs
- 11. 4 ea Nylon Handles
- 12. 4 ea 1/4 20 x 4 1/2 inch RD HD Machine Screws
- 13. 4 ea 1 inch Nylon Washer Bevel
- 14. 4 ea 1/4 inch Hex Nuts
- 4 ea 1/4 inch Hex Jam Nuts
   4 ea 1/4 Flat Washers